

Alaska Local and Regional Information

Workforce Info

Two Rivers

Two Rivers is an unincorporated CDP that runs from about mile 13 to mile 25 of Chena Hot Springs Road. Two Rivers is part of the Fairbanks North Star Borough.

- ♦ The estimated population for 2008 was 644, a gain of about 162 since the 2000 Census.
- ♦ About 65 percent of the resident population 16+ years old worked in 2008.
- ♦ Trade, Transportation and Utilities was the main industry in 2008, employing 21 percent of the area's workers.
- ♦ More workers were employed as Retail Salespersons than any other occupation.

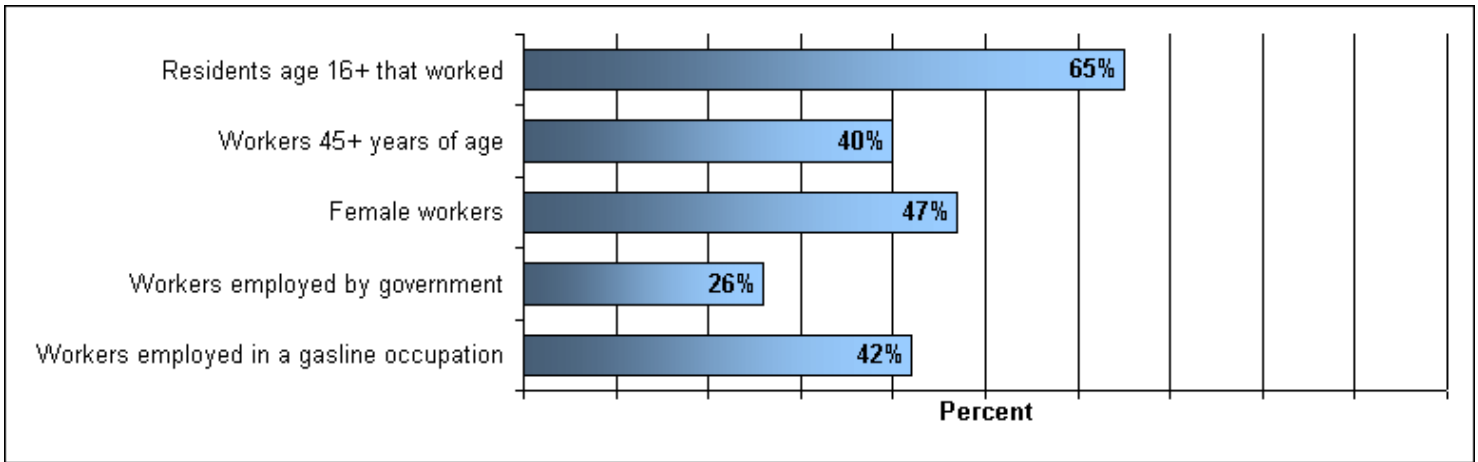
Please note: There is an important distinction between the local/regional employment data and our "standard" employment series. Most of these data reflect totals for area residents only. Total worker counts may be lower than expected in areas with a large number of nonresident workers. The Alaska Permanent Fund dividend file is used to determine the worker's geographic residence. Only Alaska residents (as defined by PFD application) are included in these totals. Also note that federal employees, the military, and the self-employed are not included in these data.

Two Rivers Resident Snapshot (2008)

Working Age Residents		Wages	
Residents age 16+	551	Total wages	\$13,015,994
Resident Worker Characteristics		Resident Workers by Sector	
Total	356	Private	263
Male	187	State government	49
Female	169	Local government	44
Age 45+	143	Quarterly Number of Resident Workers	
Age 50+	103	Peak (3rd) quarter workers	326
		Percent working all 4 quarters	71.9%
Unemployment		Construction/AGIA Occupation Experience (2004-2008)	
UI Claimants	44	Some construction	71
		At least 1 year construction	52
New Hires		At least 2 years construction	38
New hires	123	Worked in an AGIA occupation	258

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2008 Residents

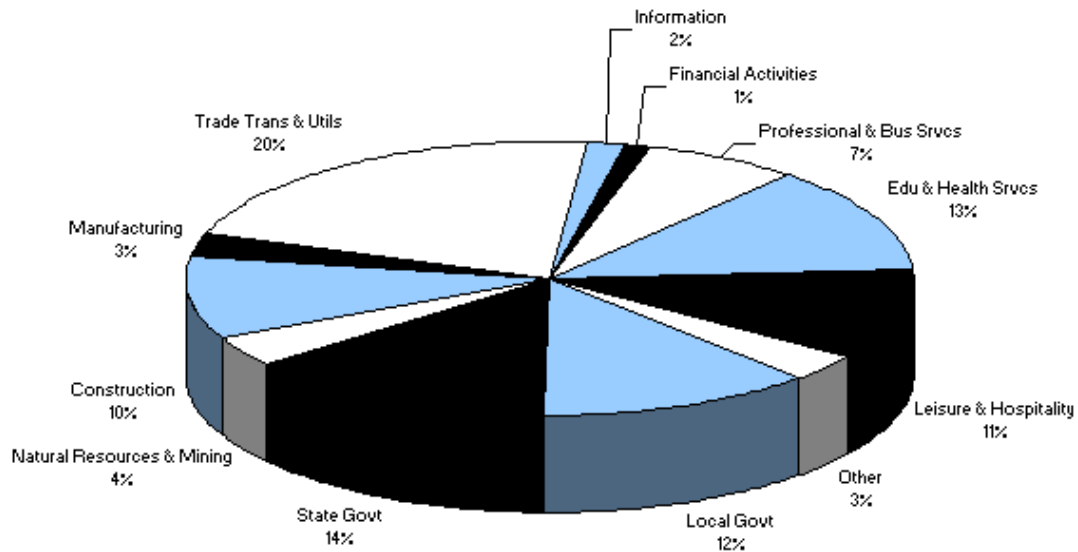


Top Occupations

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Retail Salespersons	15	80.0%	4	3
Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators AGIA HOT JOB	13	15.4%	3	2
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	11	45.5%	0	0
Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other AGIA	10	70.0%	3	2
Carpenters AGIA HOT JOB	10	0.0%	4	3
Cashiers	9	88.9%	2	1
Registered Nurses HOT JOB	8	100.0%	6	5
Office Clerks, General AGIA	8	75.0%	3	1
Teacher Assistants	7	71.4%	3	1
Construction Laborers AGIA HOT JOB	7	0.0%	3	1
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General AGIA	7	0.0%	3	2
Waiters and Waitresses	6	100.0%	1	1
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	6	0.0%	2	2
Truck Drivers, Heavy and Tractor-Trailer AGIA HOT JOB	6	16.7%	4	1
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand AGIA	5	0.0%	2	2
Teachers and Instructors, All Other	5	60.0%	4	4

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Resident Workers by Industry



Workers by Industry

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Natural Resources and Mining	13	15.4%	4	1
Construction	34	8.8%	11	7
Manufacturing	10	60.0%	4	1
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	76	42.1%	33	22
Information	6	33.3%	2	0
Financial Activities	*	*	*	*
Professional and Business Services	25	44.0%	10	9
Educational and Health Services	45	75.6%	25	17
Leisure and Hospitality	38	57.9%	8	7
State Government	49	53.1%	15	12
Local Government	44	54.5%	26	24
Other	12	25.0%	5	3
Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0

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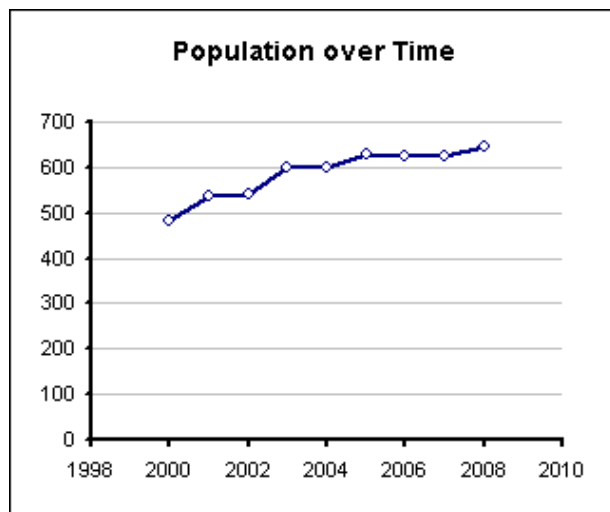
Recent Unemployment Statistics

	09/2009	10/2009	11/2009	12/2009
UI Claimants**	6	8	9	9

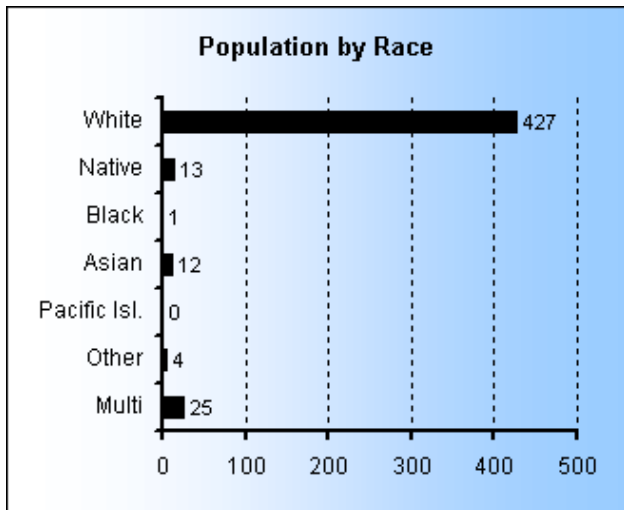
**UI claimants are individuals in this area who had an active claim at any time during the month.

Top Employers (ranked by number of workers)

University of AK
Fairbanks North Star School District
Banner Health System
State of AK (excludes U of A)
FBKS North Star Borough
Chena Hot Springs Resort LLC
Tanana Chiefs Conference
FBKS Gold Mining Inc
Wal-Mart Associates Inc
Norcon Inc
City of Fairbanks
Fairbanks Daily News Miner
Two Rivers Lodge Inc
Silver Gulch Brew & Bottle Inc
McDonald's Restaurants of AK
Home Depot USA Inc
Fred Meyer Stores Inc
H C Contractors Inc



2000 Census	
Median Age	34.5
Average Family Size	3.2
Average Household Size	2.7
Per Capita Income	\$24,351
Median Family Income	\$58,661
Median Household Income	\$58,571



(Note: Racial classification is based on self identification. The "Multi" category consists of those who claim to be members of more than one race. The "Native" category includes Alaska Natives and American Indians.)